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SUBJ: WTDR/FTI - OMARI RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT LTD.

REF: USDOC 11754

1. GHANA 2. CNTRY CODE: 749 3. SER NO: N/A

4. OMARI RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT LTD.

4B. CODE: A

5. P.O. BOX 4221; 85 KLOTTEY CRESCENT

6. ACCRA, GHANA

7. EST: 1975 8. EMPL: 4 9. (21-X) SMALL

10. REPUTATION: (UNK) UNKNOWN

11. PLANS TO ASSEMBLE ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT AND PARTS; CURRENTLY SELLS BOOKS, PHONOGRAPH RECORDS AND GIFT ITEMS. PRINCIPAL CUSTOMERS INCLUDE SCHOOLS, COLLEGES, TECHNICAL INSTITUTIONS THROUGHOUT GHANA. HOPES TO EXPORT GHANAIAAN SOUVENIR ITEMS, PHONOGRAPH RECORDS AND BOOKS. HAS OFFICE AND SHOP NEAR DOWNTOWN ACCRA.

12. RPT DATE: 08/76

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13A. 27310/13DE INT IMP DIST EXP OF BOOKS

13B. 26400/135 IMP DIST OF STATIONERY AND MISC. OFFICE SUPPLIES

13C. 36514/0135 IMP DIST OF SPEAKER SYSTEMS; ALSO ASSEMBLE
AUDIO AND PRE-AMPLIFIERS

13D. 36520/1345 IMP DIST EXP OF PHONOGRAPH RECORDS

13E. 59470/1345 IMP DIST EXP OF GIFT, NOVELTY AND SOUVENIR
ITEMS

14. CONTACT: MRS. THEODORA P. OMARI TITLE: MANAGING DIRECTOR

15. CABLE: NONE TELEEX: NONE TEL: 76684

18. FINANCIAL REFS: GHANA COMMERCIAL BANK, REPUBLIC HOUSE
BRANCH, P.O. BOX 5550; STANDARD BANK GHANA LTD., ADABRAKA
BRANCH, P.O. BOX 1707; ACCRA, GHANA.

19. TRADE REF: HEINEMAN EDUCATIONAL BOOKS LTD., 48 CHARLES ST.,
MAYFAIR, LONDON W.1., ENGLAND.

20. NO FOREIGN FIRMS REPRESENTED YET

21. SUBJECT FIRM IS WHOLLY-OWNED BY DR. T. PETER OMARI,
CURRENTLY EMPLOYED AT THE OFFICE OF THE U.N. ECONOMIC COMMISSION
FOR AFRICA IN ADDIS ABABA, ETHIOPIA, AND OPERATED BY HIS WIFE
(NAMED IN ITEM 14). SHE HAS FOR 3 YEARS THE ORGANIZER AND
MANAGER OF THE UN BOOKSHOP IN ADDIS ABABA AND APPARENTLY HAS
CONSIDERABLE EXPERIENCE IN THE BOOK TRADE. COMPANY HOPES TO
EXPAND INTO THE PUBLISHING BUSINESS SOON. FIRM HAS NOT YET
ESTABLISHED SOLID RELATIONSHIPS IN THE LOCAL BUSINESS COMMUNITY;
ALTHOUGH THE OWNER IS BELIEVED TO BE REPUTABLE, WE RECOMMEND
TRANSACTIONS ON FULLY SECURED BASIS UNTIL MUTUAL TRUST HAS BEEN
ESTABLISHED.

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